

Profile: Mr. Swender

as of Today



Interested Career Cluster:	<i>Education and Training. and Human Services</i>
Career I researched:	<i>Vocational Educator</i>
Career I shadowed:	<i>Family and Consumer Sciences Teacher</i>
What I learned:	<i>Teaching is hard work, but allows one to make a difference and a living, while still having a healthy family.</i>
How I Dressed	<i>I was told to wear a shirt and tie with slacks and dress shoes.</i>
My First Job Will Probably Be..	<i>Probably child care or food service because they are related to FACS Education and I can clock the hours for licensing.</i>
Expected Attire:	<i>As teaching becomes more professionalized, they will be expected to look nicer than business casual</i>
Who I can contact for more help	<i>Wanda Fox at Purdue, she is the teacher of FACS teachers.</i>
Universities I can attend & Their Major	<i>Purdue, Indiana State University or Ball State University to major in Occupational FACS education</i>
Plan B	<i>Counselor</i>

Bringing it All Together

WAC Type 5

Project Summary: You need to summarize your career research and experiences in a five paragraph essay accompanied by a visual summary. It is a self-reflective essay answering the question “What have I learned about myself and careers and how do I think this is going to play out in my life, as of today.”

Purpose: This will help you reflect upon your career and future goals. Putting goals down on paper helps us know when we’ve reached them. If we just sit around and dream, we’ll get distracted and not get anything done.

Writer’s Role: You are writing about yourself as yourself.

Audience: Head Hunters will be visiting our classroom to see who they want to hire. It needs to be professional and yet saucy enough to get their attention.

Form: 5 Paragraph essay, following the rules of Collins WAC. The visual is up to you.

Focus Correction Areas for the Essay. Everyone does # 1, pick two of the remaining – make sure they are on your paper.

1. **EHS Hamburger**
2. Complete Sentences
3. 5 Lang Arts Vocabulary Words (Number words)
4. Explain why Technical school would be a better option for you (star paragraph)
5. Explain why a branch of the armed services would be better for you (box paragraph)
6. One powerful quote, correctly punctuated

Form for Essay: Must include original hand written and edited draft and final published draft. Final needs to be formatted with 1 inch margins, Name, Date, & Class Period in the Upper Right hand Corner, Three FCA’s listed to the left (skipping lines. One line down, Title, one line down and introduction.

Focus Correction Areas for the Visual. Everyone does and #2, pick two of the remaining – make sure they are on your visual somewhere.

1. **Include Career Cluster, Career Shadowed, Career Researched and College Options explained**
2. Job Outlook for specific career
3. Plan B – your back up plan
4. How to dress for the job
5. Who you can contact for more info
6. Make your own! *Must be pre-approved!!!!*

Form For Visual: Format will be _____ and must be pre-approved. Should be able to be seen from at least 4 feet away without squinting. Colorful. Should include a professional looking picture of yourself (not school like mine.) Should have concise information – should not be a book.